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PETITION FOR TWO MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

On December 21, 2001, Applicants filed a Petition For One Month Extension Of Time to extend the time for filing a response to the Office Action mailed August 24, 2001 by one (1) month from November 24, 2001 until December 24, 2001. 37 C.F.R. § 1.17. A check for \$55.00 to cover the cost of a one month extension for a small entity was enclosed.

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Applicants hereby further petition the Assistant Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated August 24, 2001 by an additional two months from December 24, 2001 until February 25, 2002.

The fee for purchasing a three months extension is \$460.00 for a small entity. Since the first month extension was already purchased (i.e., \$55.00), the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the amount of \$405.00 to our firm deposit Account No. 50-0540 to cover the remaining cost of an additional two month extension for a small entity. A duplicate copy of this Petition is enclosed.

If there are any additional fees, please charge them to our firm deposit Account No. 50-0540.

Respectfully submitted,

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